



The 7 Principals

The 7 Principles of Leave No Trace provide an easily understood framework of minimum impact practices for anyone visiting the outdoors. The Principles can be applied anywhere — from remote wilderness areas, to local parks and even in your backyard. Each Principle covers a specific topic and provides detailed information to empower you to minimize your impacts.

Plan Ahead and Prepare



Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces



Dispose of Waste Properly



Leave What You Find



Minimize Campfire Impacts



Respect Wildlife



Be Considerate of Other Visitors

